***Twenty Pounds 11-3-10***

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There are many things everyone wants to take with them if they would leave for a very long time. I would try and go light. Here is what I would bring: the most expensive jewelry that is light, a jacket, a blanket, a lot of layers of clothing, pictures of my family, my cell phone, and a lap top computer, lots of light food, a water bottle, and a gallon of water. They probably will take all the stuff I had just brought. But I would sure try. The jewelry would be for if I made it out I would sell it so I got a lot of money to start my new life. The jacket would be for if it is cold and so would the many layers of clothing. The pictures of my family are so I always have faith. If you believe you want to get out of the war it goes by much quicker than if you don’t believe and want to kill yourself. The cell phone would be for calling the good police to tell them where I am and having them come help me. The lap top would be used for the same use as my cell phone. The food would be there in case they didn’t feed us one day. The water would be there in case they didn’t give us any water one day. The water bottle would be there for those very few days they give us water I can put it in there and save it. These are all those things I would bring to help me on my long rode.